

BY AUTHORITY.
Law of the United States, Passed at the second Session of the 29th Congress.
[Public-No. 39.]
AN ACT to amend an act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes.
(SEC. 1.) Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all the right, title, and interest of the United States in and to all that unsurveyed strip or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Jefferson, and State of Indiana, bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at the southeast corner of fractional section number one; thence westwardly, along the south line of fractional sections two, three, and four, in township "three" north, of range "ten" east, until said line strikes the southwest corner of said fractional section numbered "three"; thence from the corner last mentioned, due south, to low-water mark on the Ohio river; thence eastwardly, up and following the meanderings of the river at low-water mark, to a point directly opposite the southeast corner of said fractional section numbered one; thence north, from the point last aforesaid, to the place of beginning of the lands, lying and being in the Jeffersonville land district, be, and the same is hereby, vested in the city of Madison, for the sole use and benefit of said city.
JOHN W. DAVIS,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
G. M. DALLAS,
Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate.
Approved, March 3, 1847.
JAMES K. POLK.

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AN ACT to amend an act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes.
(SEC. 1.) Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That under the provisions of the ninth section of the act approved February eleventh, eighteen hundred and forty-seven, entitled "An act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes," it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury to issue Treasury scrip therein provided, on the certificate of the Secretary of War, showing the claimant entitled thereto, and not otherwise; and that the stock thus issued shall bear interest from the day of its issue, until the day of its redemption, at the rate of five per centum per annum, and shall be payable on the first days of January and July in each year, and shall be transferable on the books of the Treasury Department kept in the Register's office. Such certificates of stock shall be signed by the Register of the Treasury, under the seal of the Treasury, which shall cause the seal of the Department to be affixed thereto, and no other signature shall be required to said stock.
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[Public-No. 40.]
AN ACT creating a collection district in Maine, and constituting Bangor, in said district, a port of entry and delivery.
(SEC. 1.) Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the town of Bangor, in the county of Waldo, be, and they are, hereby created a collection district, which shall be known and called the district of Bangor; and Bangor, within said county of Penobscot, is hereby made a port of entry and delivery for said district.
(SEC. 2.) Be it further enacted, That there shall be a collector of customs appointed for said district, together with such other officers as are provided for by law; and the compensation of said collector shall be such fees and commissions as he by law may be entitled to.
(SEC. 3.) Be it further enacted, That Frankfort, in the county of Waldo, shall form a part of said district of Bangor, in the same manner that it now forms a part of the district of Belfast; and there shall be a deputy collector at Frankfort, as is now provided by law, who shall perform all the duties, and exercise all the powers, in the same manner as the same were performed and exercised when Frankfort constituted a part of the district of Belfast.
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[Public-No. 41.]
AN ACT making provisions for an additional number of general officers, and for other purposes.
(SEC. 1.) Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized to organize the ten regiments to be raised by virtue of the act of the eleventh of February, eighteen hundred and forty-seven, into brigades and divisions, either by allotting portions of the same to the brigades and divisions of the regular army or volunteer forces in the service of the United States, and if the efficiency of the service shall require it, to appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, such number of brigades, divisions, and major generals, not exceeding three, as the organization of the said forces may require; Provided, That each brigade shall consist of not less than three regiments, and each division of not less than two brigades; And provided further, That the said general officers shall be immediately discharged from the service of the United States at the close of the war with Mexico.
(SEC. 2.) And be it further enacted, That there shall be added to the Adjutant General's department one assistant adjutant general, with the rank, pay, and emoluments of a lieutenant colonel of cavalry, and two assistant adjutants general, with the rank, pay, and emoluments of a captain of cavalry, to be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, in the same manner, and be charged with the same duties, as those authorized by existing laws.
(SEC. 3.) And be it further enacted, That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized to accept the services of individual volunteers to fill vacancies which may occur by death, discharge, or other cause, in the volunteer regiments or corps now in the service of the United States, or which may be received during the existing war with Mexico.
(SEC. 4.) And be it further enacted, That all the officers to be appointed in the ten regiments to be raised and organized under the act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes, shall take rank, in case of equal grade, in such manner as the President of the United States may direct, without regard to priority of appointment.
(SEC. 5.) And be it further enacted, That to each company of said ten regiments there may be appointed the same number of subaltern officers as are provided by existing laws for the companies of volunteers whose term shall expire as provided in the fifth section of this act.

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(SEC. 8.) And be it further enacted, That the provisions of the act approved May thirteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six, entitled "An act to authorize an increase of the rank and file of the army of the United States," be, and the same are hereby, made applicable to the regiments of mounted riflemen authorized by the act of the ninth of May, eighteen hundred and forty-six.
(SEC. 9.) And be it further enacted, That each regiment of dragoons, artillery, and mounted riflemen, in the regular army, there shall be added one principal teamster, with the rank and compensation of quartermaster sergeant; and to each company of the same, two teamsters, with the compensation of sergeants.
(SEC. 10.) And be it further enacted, That the proviso to the second section of the act approved March second, eighteen hundred and twenty-seven, entitled "An act giving further compensation to the captains & subalterns of the army of the United States," in certain cases, shall be so interpreted as to include lieutenants who hold the appointments of adjutant, and regimental quartermaster.
(SEC. 11.) And be it further enacted, That so much of any army regulation as gives to any sutler a lien upon any part of the pay of the soldiers, or a right to appear at the pay table to receive the soldier's pay from the paymaster, shall be, and the same is hereby, abrogated; and all regulation extending the rights and privileges of sutlers beyond the rules and articles of war shall be, and hereby are, abrogated.
(SEC. 12.) And be it further enacted, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to add to the pay department of the army two deputy paymaster generals, with the pay and allowances each of a deputy quartermaster general; and ten paymasters with the pay and allowances each of a paymaster of the army; and the officers so appointed shall give such bonds as the President shall, from time to time, direct: Provided, That the deputy paymaster general, in addition to paying troops, superintend the payment of armies in the field.
(SEC. 13.) And be it further enacted, That the officers of the pay department shall have rank corresponding with the rank to which their pay and allowances are assimilated; and the President shall not act in violation of the provisions of the act of the eleventh of February, eighteen hundred and forty-seven, entitled "An act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes," it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury to issue Treasury scrip therein provided, on the certificate of the Secretary of War, showing the claimant entitled thereto, and not otherwise; and that the stock thus issued shall bear interest from the day of its issue, until the day of its redemption, at the rate of five per centum per annum, and shall be payable on the first days of January and July in each year, and shall be transferable on the books of the Treasury Department kept in the Register's office. Such certificates of stock shall be signed by the Register of the Treasury, under the seal of the Treasury, which shall cause the seal of the Department to be affixed thereto, and no other signature shall be required to said stock.
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(SEC. 2.) And be it further enacted, That there shall be added to the Adjutant General's department one assistant adjutant general, with the rank, pay, and emoluments of a lieutenant colonel of cavalry, and two assistant adjutants general, with the rank, pay, and emoluments of a captain of cavalry, to be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, in the same manner, and be charged with the same duties, as those authorized by existing laws.
(SEC. 3.) And be it further enacted, That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized to accept the services of individual volunteers to fill vacancies which may occur by death, discharge, or other cause, in the volunteer regiments or corps now in the service of the United States, or which may be received during the existing war with Mexico.
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(SEC. 8.) And be it further enacted, That the provisions of the act approved May thirteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six, entitled "An act to authorize an increase of the rank and file of the army of the United States," be, and the same are hereby, made applicable to the regiments of mounted riflemen authorized by the act of the ninth of May, eighteen hundred and forty-six.
(SEC. 9.) And be it further enacted, That each regiment of dragoons, artillery, and mounted riflemen, in the regular army, there shall be added one principal teamster, with the rank and compensation of quartermaster sergeant; and to each company of the same, two teamsters, with the compensation of sergeants.
(SEC. 10.) And be it further enacted, That the proviso to the second section of the act approved March second, eighteen hundred and twenty-seven, entitled "An act giving further compensation to the captains & subalterns of the army of the United States," in certain cases, shall be so interpreted as to include lieutenants who hold the appointments of adjutant, and regimental quartermaster.
(SEC. 11.) And be it further enacted, That so much of any army regulation as gives to any sutler a lien upon any part of the pay of the soldiers, or a right to appear at the pay table to receive the soldier's pay from the paymaster, shall be, and the same is hereby, abrogated; and all regulation extending the rights and privileges of sutlers beyond the rules and articles of war shall be, and hereby are, abrogated.
(SEC. 12.) And be it further enacted, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to add to the pay department of the army two deputy paymaster generals, with the pay and allowances each of a deputy quartermaster general; and ten paymasters with the pay and allowances each of a paymaster of the army; and the officers so appointed shall give such bonds as the President shall, from time to time, direct: Provided, That the deputy paymaster general, in addition to paying troops, superintend the payment of armies in the field.
(SEC. 13.) And be it further enacted, That the officers of the pay department shall have rank corresponding with the rank to which their pay and allowances are assimilated; and the President shall not act in violation of the provisions of the act of the eleventh of February, eighteen hundred and forty-seven, entitled "An act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes," it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury to issue Treasury scrip therein provided, on the certificate of the Secretary of War, showing the claimant entitled thereto, and not otherwise; and that the stock thus issued shall bear interest from the day of its issue, until the day of its redemption, at the rate of five per centum per annum, and shall be payable on the first days of January and July in each year, and shall be transferable on the books of the Treasury Department kept in the Register's office. Such certificates of stock shall be signed by the Register of the Treasury, under the seal of the Treasury, which shall cause the seal of the Department to be affixed thereto, and no other signature shall be required to said stock.
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(SEC. 2.) And be it further enacted, That there shall be added to the Adjutant General's department one assistant adjutant general, with the rank, pay, and emoluments of a lieutenant colonel of cavalry, and two assistant adjutants general, with the rank, pay, and emoluments of a captain of cavalry, to be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, in the same manner, and be charged with the same duties, as those authorized by existing laws.
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(SEC. 9.) And be it further enacted, That each regiment of dragoons, artillery, and mounted riflemen, in the regular army, there shall be added one principal teamster, with the rank and compensation of quartermaster sergeant; and to each company of the same, two teamsters, with the compensation of sergeants.
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(SEC. 2.) And be it further enacted, That there shall be added to the Adjutant General's department one assistant adjutant general, with the rank, pay, and emoluments of a lieutenant colonel of cavalry, and two assistant adjutants general, with the rank, pay, and emoluments of a captain of cavalry, to be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, in the same manner, and be charged with the same duties, as those authorized by existing laws.
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(SEC. 9.) And be it further enacted, That each regiment of dragoons, artillery, and mounted riflemen, in the regular army, there shall be added one principal teamster, with the rank and compensation of quartermaster sergeant; and to each company of the same, two teamsters, with the compensation of sergeants.
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(SEC. 3.) And be it further enacted, That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized to accept the services of individual volunteers to fill vacancies which may occur by death, discharge, or other cause, in the volunteer regiments or corps now in the service of the United States, or which may be received during the existing war with Mexico.
(SEC. 4.) And be it further enacted, That all the officers to be appointed in the ten regiments to be raised and organized under the act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes, shall take rank, in case of equal grade, in such manner as the President of the United States may direct, without regard to priority of appointment.
(SEC. 5.) And be it further enacted, That to each company of said ten regiments there may be appointed the same number of subaltern officers as are provided by existing laws for the companies of volunteers whose term shall expire as provided in the fifth section of this act.

the act of eleventh of February, eighteen hundred and forty-seven.
(SEC. 8.) And be it further enacted, That the provisions of the act approved May thirteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six, entitled "An act to authorize an increase of the rank and file of the army of the United States," be, and the same are hereby, made applicable to the regiments of mounted riflemen authorized by the act of the ninth of May, eighteen hundred and forty-six.
(SEC. 9.) And be it further enacted, That each regiment of dragoons, artillery, and mounted riflemen, in the regular army, there shall be added one principal teamster, with the rank and compensation of quartermaster sergeant; and to each company of the same, two teamsters, with the compensation of sergeants.
(SEC. 10.) And be it further enacted, That the proviso to the second section of the act approved March second, eighteen hundred and twenty-seven, entitled "An act giving further compensation to the captains & subalterns of the army of the United States," in certain cases, shall be so interpreted as to include lieutenants who hold the appointments of adjutant, and regimental quartermaster.
(SEC. 11.) And be it further enacted, That so much of any army regulation as gives to any sutler a lien upon any part of the pay of the soldiers, or a right to appear at the pay table to receive the soldier's pay from the paymaster, shall be, and the same is hereby, abrogated; and all regulation extending the rights and privileges of sutlers beyond the rules and articles of war shall be, and hereby are, abrogated.
(SEC. 12.) And be it further enacted, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to add to the pay department of the army two deputy paymaster generals, with the pay and allowances each of a deputy quartermaster general; and ten paymasters with the pay and allowances each of a paymaster of the army; and the officers so appointed shall give such bonds as the President shall, from time to time, direct: Provided, That the deputy paymaster general, in addition to paying troops, superintend the payment of armies in the field.
(SEC. 13.) And be it further enacted, That the officers of the pay department shall have rank corresponding with the rank to which their pay and allowances are assimilated; and the President shall not act in violation of the provisions of the act of the eleventh of February, eighteen hundred and forty-seven, entitled "An act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes," it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury to issue Treasury scrip therein provided, on the certificate of the Secretary of War, showing the claimant entitled thereto, and not otherwise; and that the stock thus issued shall bear interest from the day of its issue, until the day of its redemption, at the rate of five per centum per annum, and shall be payable on the first days of January and July in each year, and shall be transferable on the books of the Treasury Department kept in the Register's office. Such certificates of stock shall be signed by the Register of the Treasury, under the seal of the Treasury, which shall cause the seal of the Department to be affixed thereto, and no other signature shall be required to said stock.
Approved, March 3, 1847.

[Public-No. 48.]
AN ACT making provisions for an additional number of general officers, and for other purposes.
(SEC. 1.) Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized to organize the ten regiments to be raised by virtue of the act of the eleventh of February, eighteen hundred and forty-seven, into brigades and divisions, either by allotting portions of the same to the brigades and divisions of the regular army or volunteer forces in the service of the United States, and if the efficiency of the service shall require it, to appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, such number of brigades, divisions, and major generals, not exceeding three, as the organization of the said forces may require; Provided, That each brigade shall consist of not less than three regiments, and each division of not less than two brigades; And provided further, That the said general officers shall be immediately discharged from the service of the United States at the close of the war with Mexico.
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(SEC. 4.) And be it further enacted, That all the officers to be appointed in the ten regiments to be raised and organized under the act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes, shall take rank, in case of equal grade, in such manner as the President of the United States may direct, without regard to priority of appointment.
(SEC. 5.) And be it further enacted, That to each company of said ten regiments there may be appointed the same number of subaltern officers as are provided by existing laws for the companies of volunteers whose term shall expire as provided in the fifth section of this act.

FRESH BEEF.
JAMES PETTEWAY
RESPECTFULLY
announces to the citizens
of Wilmington, that he
keeps for sale at the
Market-house, the best of
FRESH MEATS,
of every description, and he solicits a share of public
patronage.
Hotels or families can have their purchases sent
to their houses if desired.
Drovers will please always give him a call be-
fore disposing of their live stock, as he will give
the highest price the market will afford.
Jan'y 2, 1846 16-4

FRESH BEEF.
PORK AND LAMB.
STALLS Nos. 2 & 4
THE subscriber not
wishing to enter into
a long tedious adver-
tising, he has been
obliged to the citizens
of Wilmington, that he
is now prepared to sup-
ply their tables with the best of
BEEF, PORK AND LAMB.
at the lowest prices. His arrangements are such
as will warrant him in saying the best, for he will
have that or none. Hotels or families can have
the best of service if they wish.
Drovers can have a ready sale for their cattle,
by applying to me.
JOSEPH M. TILLY.
Oct. 19, 1845. 1-1f

Again at Home.
THE subscriber has returned to Wilmington
and is prepared to execute work in his busi-
ness in all its branches and with all the im-
provements in style and fashion of the season. He so-
licits the patronage of his old customers and the
public generally. He will receive by first arri-
vals a large and well selected stock of
GOODS,
consisting in part of French, English and Ameri-
can Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings; Rich Silk
Velvet Vestings; Rich Tinsel Vestings; Rich
French Merino Vestings; Paris style fancy Cas-
simeres; 6-4 English Tweeds; shaded striped
French Closures; Black Watered Scarfs; fancy
Joinville Scarfs; Polka Hdkfs; fancy Neck Ties;
Black Italian Cravats; Kid, Silk, and Merino
Gloves; Merino and Cotton Shirts, Drawers, and
half Hose; Corsets; Shirts; Bows; Collars; Sus-
penders; Caps; Umbrellas, &c. &c.
He would respectfully call the attention of the
public to as extensive and fashionable a stock of
as can be found in the market. As they were
manufactured under his own superintendence, and
every garment I sell I warrant to give satisfaction
or it may be returned and the money refunded.
I consider that a good business can only be estab-
lished by giving all satisfaction, which I am deter-
mined to do. If you favor me with a call I will
thank you whether you purchase or not, at my old
stand on Market street.
The above Goods will be sold lower than have
ever been offered before for cash, or on time to
punctual customers.
CHAS. BARR.
Oct. 23d, 1846.
N. B.—I shall in future settle my business
every month; say the 1st of January and the
1st of July, and will expect punctuality in pay-
ments. I will also make a deduction of six per
cent, for cash, for all sums over \$20.

ICE!
THE subscriber having rented the Ice House
formerly occupied by E. A. Keith, takes
this method of informing the public that it will
remain open for the delivery of Ice during the sum-
mer season from 6 A. M. to 6 P. M.
Persons from the country will be promptly at-
tended to.
April 16th, 1847 31-6t

TO THE PUBLIC:
Summer Arrangement.
We will deliver Ice from the Ice House, in
future every morning (except Sunday) from
sun rise till breakfast bell. It will also be retailed
from Shaw's Drug Store at all hours of the day.
We will open every Saturday afternoon from
two hours before sunset to supply our customers for
the Sunday.
In cases of sickness during the summer,
ice can be had on Sundays or at any hour of the night
by calling on W. Shaw, at his house nearly op-
posite Mr. O. G. Parsley's. Thankful for past
favours, we beg to assure the public we will use
our best endeavor to accommodate and keep a
good supply on hand.
April 16th, 1847 31-4f

\$20 Reward.
RUNAWAY from the subscriber's plantation,
in Sampson county, in December last, his
negro man
CAROLINER.
Said negro is about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high,
dark complexion. He is probably lurking about
the lines of Sampson, Bladen and New Hanover
counties, in the neighborhood of Mr. Bryant New-
kirk's, where he had a wife at the time the sub-
scriber bought him.
The above reward of Twenty Dollars will be
given for his delivery to the subscriber, in Samp-
son county; and an additional reward of Forty
Dollars will be given for proof sufficient to convict
any white person of harboring him.
CHAS. H. STEVENS.
Clinton, Sampson Co., April 23, '47.—32-6f

B. GARDNER
HAVING resumed his profession in Wilming-
ton, is prepared to take contracts for erecting
or superintending buildings of any description.
April 23d, 1847.—32-1m

PATENT MEDICINES.
THE subscriber is agent, and has for sale, the
following **PATENT MEDICINES**, to
which the attention of the public is especially di-
rected, as he warrants every article genuine.
Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup Wild Cherry,
do. Wistar's Balsam
do. Dr. Jaynes' Expectorant,
do. " Carnative Balsam,
do. " Vermifuge,
do. " Hair Tonic,
do. " Sanative Pills,
do. Wood's Sarsaparilla and Wild Cherry Bitters,
Carpenter's Compound Fluid Extract Sarsaparil-
la, do. " Extract Cinchona, [la, &c.,
do. " Buchu,
do. " Tetter Remedy,
do. Dr. Perry's Elixir Opium,
do. Dr. Perry's Dead Shot Vermifuge,
do. Moffat's Life Pills and Phoenix Bitters,
do. Dr. Smith's Whooping Cough Syrup,
do. Henry's Magnesia, do. Leidy's Blood Pills,
do. Murray's fluid do. Gray's Ointment,
do. Lee's, Peter's, Be-kwith's, Brandreth's, & Spen-
do. Dr. Thompson's Eye Water, do. Cer's Pills,
do. Cheesman's Arabian Balsam, do. Taylor's Balm Liverwort,
do. Scammon's Indian Panacea,
do. Rowand's Improved Tonic Mixture,
do. Scarpa's Acoustic Oil, a certain cure for deafness,
do. Allen's Vegetable Compound for Dyspepsia,
do. Harlow Oil, Pain Killer, British Oil, Bateman's
do. Drops, &c. &c. WM. SHAW.
January 15, 1847.

BREAD AND CRACKERS.—Pilot and
Navy Brand, Soda, Lemon and Butter
Crackers. For sale by
R. H. STANTON & CO.

DRY GOODS,
Mostly of domestic manufacture, purchased low
and for sale accordingly, in part as follows:
Kentucky Jeans, Negro Cloths, Bed Tick, Cot-
ton Duck, brown Drill, do. and bleached Shirtings
and Sheetings, white, red and yellow Flannels,
Ravens and Bear Duck; a splendid lot of Calicoes,
Satinets, wool Plaids, cotton and silk Handker-
chiefs, Cambric, Suspenders, Gambroons, cotton
and linen Thread, Buttons, Tape, Sewing Silk,
&c. &